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To the FCC:

Your approval of Petition 04-160 will lessen the public's knowledge of impending serious weather and current traffic conditions. Here in south Florida, severe weather is a fact of life. Those of us who listen primarily to satellite radio depend on their broadcasts of alerts to storms and to major traffic congestion. Obviously, radio and television broadcasters would prefer to see themselves as the only source of this important information. However, they need to realize that every available channel is needed to communicate such information to the general public. Not everyone receives the government's weather broadcasts, and some depend on satellite radio exclusively. I urge you to decline approval of petition 04-160.
Sincerely, John Tyson